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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

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ZPOTS LLC,	:	
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Plaintiff,	:	
	:	1:18-cv-9196-GHW
-against-	:	
	:	<u>ORDER</u>
HOME ESSENTIALS & BEYOND, INC.	:	
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Defendant.	:	
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GREGORY H. WOODS, United States District Judge:

On June 15, 2020, the Court ordered that the bench trial in this case would take place on September 1, 2020 at 9:00 a.m. in Courtroom 12C of the United States District Court for the Southern District of New York, Daniel Patrick Moynihan U.S. Courthouse at 500 Pearl Street, New York, New York, 10007. Dkt. No. 91. The parties, by letter dated August 20, 2020, informed the Court that all parties agreed to proceeding with a virtual trial. Dkt. No. 95. Accordingly, it is hereby

ORDERED that the trial beginning September 1, 2020 will take place by Skype for Business videoconference. To access the conference, paste the following link into your browser:

[https://meet.lync.com/fedcourts-nysd/gregory\\_woods/HOE2VDLB](https://meet.lync.com/fedcourts-nysd/gregory_woods/HOE2VDLB).

To use this link, you may need to download software to use Skype's videoconferencing features.<sup>1</sup> Participants are directed to test their videoconference setup in advance of the conference -- including their ability to access the link above. Users who do not have an Office 365 account may use the "Join as Guest" option. When you successfully access the link, you will be placed in a "virtual lobby" until the conference begins. Participants should also ensure that their webcam, microphone, and headset or speakers are all properly configured to work with Skype for Business.

<sup>1</sup> See Microsoft, *Install Skype for Business* (last visited Apr. 29, 2020), <https://support.office.com/en-us/article/install-skype-for-business-8a0d4da8-9d58-44f9-9759-5c8f340cb3fb>.

For further instructions concerning Skype for Business and general guidelines for participation in video and teleconferencing, visit <https://nysd.uscourts.gov/covid-19-coronavirus>.

If you intend to join the conference from an Apple device, you should ensure that you are running a version of Skype for Business that was published on or after April 28, 2020.<sup>2</sup> Users running earlier versions have encountered an issue in which Skype for Business does not receive any inputs from the computer's microphone, and they cannot be heard by other participants.


IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that members of the press, public, or counsel who are unable to successfully access Skype for Business, may access the conference audio using the following credentials:

Call-in number: 917-933-2166

Conference ID: 669020894

SO ORDERED.

Dated: August 26, 2020  
New York, New York

  
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GREGORY H. WOODS  
United States District Judge

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<sup>2</sup> See, e.g., Microsoft, *Skype for Business on Mac* (last visited May 5, 2020), <https://www.microsoft.com/en-us/download/details.aspx?id=54108>.